Amendment No. 2 to SB3103

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3103

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-142-108(a), is amended by deleting the existing subsection (a) in its entirety and substituting therefor the following:

(a) To complete the review of a specific fatality, the local team shall have access to, and subpoena power to obtain, all medical records of the child, as well as all other records or information of any nature pertaining to the child and maintained by any public or private entity, including but not limited to hospital records, physician records, mental health records, social services records, police investigation data, and medical examiner investigative data, notwithstanding any other law to the contrary. The team chair may also have access by subpoena to the medical and mental health records of the parents of the child or the individuals having custody at the time of the death of the child. However, any subpoena sought under this part shall only be issued upon application to a chancellor or judge of a court of record who shall review the records sought in camera before issuing the subpoena for information deemed relevant to the investigation by the judge or chancellor. Any entity or individual providing such information, whether by subpoena or otherwise, shall not be held liable for providing the information.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.